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,	for Subdividing the present Shares and dealing
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	proportion to be credited as paid up on all the
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## ES of Cargo per Steamships TY," AND "MATAPAN," nd Antwerp, in connection with are hereby informed that their doods, with the exception of Opium, Treasure, and Valuables, are being landed and stored at heir risks at the Company's Godowns, whence

elivery may be obtained immediately after Optional Cargo will be forwarded on, unless timation is received from the Consignees before Noon TO-DAY, the 5th inst., requesting it to be landed here. Bills of Lading will be countersigned by the Goods remaining unclaimed after TUES DAY, the 12th instant, at Noon, will be

subject to rent and landing charges at 1 cent. per package per diem. before the 15th inst, or they will not be information necessary may be obtained by recognized. No Fire Insurance has been effected.

G. DE CHAMPEAUX, Hongkong, 5th May, 1885.

INDQ-CHINA STEAM NAVIGATION COMPANY, LIMITED. NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES.

## FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Company's Steamship "TAISANG. having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees

of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for Countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Coods. Cargo impeding the discharge or remaining on board after 4 r.m. on THURSDAY the

7th instant, will be at once landed and stored FETHE Steamship 421 at Consignoes' risk and expense. No Fire Insurance will be effected. JARDINE, MATHESON & Co., General Managers. Hongkong, 4th May, 1885.

TO CONSIGNEES OF OPTIONAL CARGO EX O. S.S. CO.'S S.S. "MENELAUS." FROM LIVERPOOL. SHIPPING Orders must be obtained from the Undersigned not later than the 10th inst. for shipment per steamer "LAERTES."

BÛTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 4th May, 1885... OCEAN STEAMSHIP COMPANY.

"MENELAUS." are hereby notified that the Cargo is being dis-charged into Craft. In landed at the Godowns of the Undersigned; in both cases it will lie at Consigness risk. The Cargo will be ready for delivery from Craft or Godown on and after the 5th May, 1885. Goods undelivered after the 11th May.

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BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Hongkong, 4th May, 1835. FROM LONDON, PENANG, AND

SINGAPORE. THE Steamship "GLENAVON."

having arrived from the above Ports, Consignous their Goods, with the exception of Opium, are being landed at their risk into the Godowns of the Undersigned whence and/or from the wharves or boats delivery may be obtained. Optional Cargo will be forwarded unless notice to the contrary be given before 4 P.M., TO-DAY, the 4th instant. Cargo remaining undelivered after the 11th instant, will be subject to rent.

No Fire Insurance has been effected Bills of Lading will be countersigned by JARDINE, MATHESON & Co. Hongkong, 4th May, 1885.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES. FROM CALCUTTA, PENANG, AND SINGAPORE. THE Steamship

ARRATOON APCAR. having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo, are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their goods from alongside. Cargo impeding discharge will be at once

landed and stored at Consigness' risk and ex-Consignees are hereby informed, that all Claims must be made immediately, as none will be entertained after the 13th instant.

DAVID SASSOON, BONS & Co., Axents. " Hongkong, 4th May, 1885. "BEN" LINE OF STEAMERS.

NOTICE TO CONSIGNEES FROM LONDON, ANTWERP, PENANG AND SINGAPORE THE Steamship

Capt. Farquhar, having arrived from the above Ports, Consignees of Cargo are hereby requested to send in their Bills of Lading to the Undersigned for countersignature and to take immediate delivery of their Goods from alongside. Cargo impeding the discharge of the steamer will be at once landed and stored at .Consignoes risk and expense, and no Fire Insurance will be

Optional Cargo will be forwarded on to Japan unless notice to the contrary be given before NOON, on MONDAY, the 4th inst. All Claims against the steamer must be pre-sented to the Undersigned on or before the 11th instant, or they will not be recognised. GIBB, LIVINGSTON & Co.,

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NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS TENDERS are invited from Persons desirous of Contracting for the Performance of VARIOUS WORKS required in the construction of Fortifications at

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The Printed Schedules with Terms of Contract and Form of Tender and any further application to the GOVERNMENT SURVEYOR, Royal Engineer Office, Queen's Road, between the Hours of 10 A.M. and 3 P.M. DAILY. A Sum of Five DOLLARS will be charged for each Copy of the Schedule, which will be refunded on returning the same clean and

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Tenders to be addressed up to 12 o'clock,
Noon on THURSDAY, the 14th May, 1885, to the SENIOR COMMISSARIAT OFFICER, Hong-kong, and marked on the outside of the Envelope "Tender FOR WORK AT THE LYBMOON PASS! The SECRETARY OF STATE FOR WAR does not bind himself to accent the lowest or any

Tender. EDMOND WALKER Colonel, Conmarding Royal Engineers. Royal Engineer Office.

Hougkong, 8th May, 1885. FOR SHANGHAI.

Captain G. Henermann, will be despatched for the above Port TO-DAY, the 9th instant, at FOUR P.M. For Freight or Passage, apply to

THE CHINA AND MANILA STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED FOR AMOY: FINE Company's Steamship

Hongkong, 8th May, 1885.

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General Managers. Hongkong, 8th May, 1885. EASTERN AND AUSTRALIAN STEAM-SHIP COMPANY, LIMITED.

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HONGRONG MAY 9TH 1885. Tax dispute between Great Britain and Russia is apparently to be settled after all without an appeal to arms. The point as to whether either side has committed a breach of the agreement come to in March, that neither should advance pending the action of the Boundary Commission, is to be submitted to arbitration. This. doubtful allies. Let the weak spots to being disposed of, the whole difficulty will practically be in the same position as it was before the Russian attack on Penjdeh. The Boundary Commission will then commence its work, but as it is agreed that the report of the Commission will not be binding on the Governments, the final settlement will have to be effected by direct regotintion. It is clear, however, that Russia is designs of avoiding war, and the reference to arbitration has been arranged, we take it, simply in order to allow her to draw back without open humiliation. As to whether this course is tain that we are no longer in a position to altogether prudent or not we have some doubt. Only one award is possible to the arbitrator, and when this is given the disputants will still in effect be left to settle their differences out of court. The issue of a conflict on the field could never have been in doubt; what may be the issue of the game of diplomacy additits of some conjecture. Here there is not only the possibility, but even some likelihood, of our heing beater. Bussia will make promises and enter into undertakings with considerable readiness, mentally reserving to herself the right to break them so soon, as she finds it to her advantage to do so. To carry on negotiations with a power which attaches no sacredness to its promises is a risky business. Russia, however, has intimated her readi ness to "consider the withdrawal of her outposts," and if consideration leads to performance the immediate occasion for war . will coase to exist. That it will arise again at some future time is marilly cortain; Russia will simply wait until she conceives the apportunity is again favourable and will then recommence her approach towards the expanditure, three months were allowed to Indian frontier. She thought the present clapse before even the specifications were opportunity was a favourable one, but ready, although the urgency of the case was has found that she was mistakenwell recognised. In less time than this a In the Oroker Papers recently pubprivate shipbuilding firm on the Tees comlished there is a noteworthy anecdote which menced and finished the construction of a Mr. Forster reproduces in his paper on Imfirst class vessel for the China Shippers' perial federation. When the two old friends Mutual S. N. Co. If this could be done by met together for the last time, twelve days a private firm surely the Government in the before the Duke of Wellington's death, Mr. same time might have got as far as making Croker reminded him how, some thirty years a commencement of at least one or two of before, they had amused themselves in the men-of-war that were to be built. Delidrive by guessing what was the other side of beration is in itself an excellent quality, but the hill, and how when he had expressed his it should bear the same relation to action that surprise at the Duke's guesses being so the dynamo and accumulator do to an elecgenerally right, he had said, "Why, I have trical engine; it should always have the force spont all my life in trying to guess what was at the other side of the bill." And the Duke stuck to his story, and turning round well as the English Government, and perto Mrs. Croker, he said :- " All the business of war, and indeed all the business of life, is haps more of them, while not every Governto endeavour to find out what you don't ment has behind it the same strong and know by what you do; that's whit I call - guessing what was the other side of the hill." Russia guessed that at the other side of the hill she would find disaffection in India and prospects of peace. pusilanimity in England; but just as she was rounding the corner she caught a glimpse of the true state of affairs and is now prudently retracing her steps. In place of disunfit for further service. affection in India she found the warmest patriotism; the native chiefs were en-

Empresa, whose suzerainty Russia -thought

they would have been glad to throw off;

throughout India proper the natives have

manifested the greatest engerness to be en-

rolled as volunteers; and the loyalty of the

army is beyond question. This is what

land, she saw behind the ineptitude of the

Government the strong force of publicapinion,

which, as Mr. FORSTER remarks, is after all

ed a just one. She saw, moreover, that notwithstanding the neglect of which the Government has for many years past been guilty with respect to the navy, our fighting force on the water was by no moans so weak as it has in some quarters been represented to be, and that in addition to the regular men-of-war we could transform a whole host of merchant vessels into fighting ships, any one of which would show herself a "saucy Arcthusa" if the chance came in her way. In view of the apprehended war Russia thought it prudent to withdraw all her ships on this station to V.ladivostock, and if hostilities had actually broken out, there they would have remained, we imagine, until peace had been restored, always provided Admiral Downer. had not made a dash and destroyed them in their stronghold. The presence of the four chartered cruisers in this harbour at the present moment shows how quickly and effectively our navy can be reinforced. We say [21] " effectively because, although a naval con- sgrees that the assurances referred to in regard adjournment for him, or to have sent a letter. structor like Sir E. J. READ would not think much of them, they are vastly superior to shortly have an answer. Then I am asked ant scarcely deserved the consideration he had the majority of the Russian fleet up at Viadivostock, and it was with this fleet they were designed to cope. What may be made out of such ships may be judged from the reference to the Stirling Castle in the Times

rticle on the Navy and Mercantile Marine command the movements of Afghan forces in the His Lordship said it appeared according to which we reproduce in another column. Russia did not guess, but has seen, what used was that further movement would not have session, and interest could not, therefore, be alwas the other side of the bill. Other powers also have no doubt observed and measure the strength which England has displayed the Ameer on account of considerations of time, plaintiff received it. in the crisis from which we are now emerg- it being desirable that such an prrangement ing, and will find their desire to remain on was to arge on the Afghan forces not to make. peaceful terms with her increased accord- Inther advances; but we did not think fit to lingly. Lat as hope that our own Governleant has also taken the opportunity to look (Hear, hear.) at the other side of the hill and find out the weak points in the administration of our land and sea forces, that having found sent to St. Petersburg, and I will read out these weak points no time will be lost in strengthening them, and that the wisdom of Russian Minister for Foreign Affairs states of Chan Ayeung, and said he was Chinese conthehackneyed saying that the best way to proserve peace is to be prepared for war will be more than ever clearly recognised. But while attack, or unless in case of some extra- behaviour for six months, and in default comwholesome criticism is to be encouraged croaking is to be deprecated as having a that the strictest orders have been sent to tendency to weaken the national self-res- the Russian commander to avoid by every drunkenness, disorderly conduct, and wilful dampect and thereby diminish the respect entertained for us by others. Mixed with the general attack which has lately made in good faith, and, of course, as applicable been justly made on the Government for its neglect of the pavy and our coaling as a national and Imperial policy. stations there has been a good deal of inadtimes obtrade themselves on the attention of

visable creaking, the ill-effects of which somea close observer. In some minds selfconfidence, one of the first elements of success, has been weakened, and there is a tendency to count too much on possible or pointed out by all means, above all let them be strongthened, but let it never be forgotten that behind the mistakes of Governments and the weakness of the departments lies the great strength of a united empire. tendency on the Continent to relegate England to an inferior position, in fact almost to question her right to be included amongst the first-class powers at all. A certain class of English critics bas sprung up who lend support to this view and mainrepel attack or hold our own; it is to yesterday afternoon. There were present:these persons that the want of respect which has been entertained for the power of England is largely due. It must be allowed, however, that the Gweenmont by its weakness, its vicilition, we might al first say its imbecility, has afforded some excuse for pessimistic grockings. / Even members of the Cabinet scen to be in ignorance of what, is being done or what has been determined on. While Lord HARTINGTON in the House of Commons was giving emphatic assurances that there was no intention of delaying the improvement of the existing defences at Singspore, that sites had been surveyed, that designs were in course of preparation, and that ar. Hongkong. He desired that it should be recordtangements were being made "ander which the execution of the works is being undertaken," Lord Northbrook in the House of again, after every one had come to the conclusion that the first should be increased, after Parliament had agreed to the necessary

united public ready to repair those mistakes.

The Spanish gunboat Vendedora is to be dismantled and laid-up at Manila, her hull being

In the case of Li Sui Ng, heard at the Police Court on Thursday, the Crown was the prosecuthusiastic in their offers of assistance to the tor; Mr. Mossop appeared to watch the case on behalf of Lau Lai Chans, not for the prosecution, as stated in our report vesterday.

Unlike the great majority of fires that occur in this colony, the cause of that at the Joss-house on the Saukiwan-road on Thursday morning appears to be known. At all events a Chinaman is now in custody on a charge of having mali-Russia has seen in India. Turning to Eng. ciously set fire to the matshed which was destroy. ed. The damage is assessed at \$250.

A typhoon passed over Roilo on the 26th ultimo, which carried away the roofs of a number our real government. She saw that the public of houses and caused great discomfort to the were prepared to back up the national reoccupants. The storm was experienced at Cebu monstrances with force if the remonstrances ashore and amongst the small craft in the themselves proved insufficient, and that harbour; the crops of tobacco, sugar cane, and they were prepared to make whatever sacrifices | muize are also said to be greatly injured. The steamor Colus passed through the centre of the might be necessary in the presecution of a storm on the 25th between Cebu and the war which to the national conscience appear- Camotes Islands.

LATEST TELEGRAMS. LONDON, 7th May.

ENGLAND AND RUSSIA. The King of Denmark has agreed to arbitrate on the question as to whether the covenant on tered into between England and Russia on the 17th March has been misconstrued on either

The nature of the agreement referred to was explained by Mr. Gladstone in the House of Commons on the 16th and 17th March. W reproduce the Premier's speeches from the

Times parliamentary reports:—
(16th. March).—I had better remind the House that on Friday I stated "that it had been agreed between Russia and England that no further advances should be sauctioned on either side." I spoke on the strength of communications from St. Petersburg, the latest of which was a telegram from the British Ambassador dated March 5th. On Saturday, in order to obviate any possible misapprehension, Lord Granville telegraphed to St. Petersburga mossage containing the words that I have quoted and referring to the assurance that had been exchanged between the two Governments, and he desired the British whether the agreement—the word agree received at his hands. ment is a little fallacions; arrange- The defendant admitted having given the pression used-inasmuch as we cannot, of course, for it, he would have paid him the money. should operate as soon as possible. What we did keep an arrangement of that kind in abeyance until we could communicate with the Ameer

(17th March), - Under the circumstances stated vesterday to the House, after having consulted Lord Granville on the subject, a telegram was telegram in reply which arrived last night. It is to this effect .- The came in to pawn a jacket. He gave the name that the Russian troops will not advance stable No. 30 at the Central Station. He was from the positions now occupied by them, pro- not a constable, and Butlin arrested him. vided the Afghan forces do not advance or Bound over in one surety of 25 to be of good ordinary reason (laughter), such, for instance, mitted. Case to be again mentioned on Monday. possible means a conflict or any incitement to a lage in a police cell in which he was confined, and conflict, and that the orders will be repeated. The was fined \$2, in default of paying which he (Hear, hear.) We accept this communication as | was sent to gaol for three days. to both parties-applicable upon our re- better days, was charged with drunkenness and

CHURCH OF ENGLAND SERVICES FOR TO: V. SUNDAY AFTER EASTER.

Sa.m. - Parade Service. Morning Prayer and Sermon. the Military Chaplain.
11 a.m. - Morning Prayer, Litany, and Sermon, Colonial Chaplain. 5 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon, the Colonial

ST. PETER'S CHURCH. 5 p.m. - Evening Prayer and Sermon, Roy, J. B. Ost. 7.30 p.m. - Soldiers' Voluntary Service, the Military St. Stephen's Church. (All Services in Chinese).

11 s.m. - Morning Prayer, &c., Revs. J. B. Ost and For some years past there has been a 7 p.m.—Evening Prayer and Sermon, Revs. J. B.

UNION CHURCH SERVICES.

Il a.m.—Preacher, Hav. E. J. Eitel, Ph. D. 7,30 p.m.—Service conducted by Laymon.

HONGKONG LEGISLATIVE COUNCIL. A meeting of the Legislative Council was held

His Excellency the Governor, Sir GEORGE FERGUSON BOWEN, G.C.M.G. Hon. W. H. MARSH; C.M.G., Colonial Secre-Hon. E. L. O'MALLEY, Attorney-General

Hon. A. LISTER, Colonial Treasurer. Hon. J. M. PRICE, Surveyor General. Han. F. Stewart, Registrar-General.

Hon. P. RYRIE. Hog. T. JACKSON. Hon. F. D. SASSOON.

Hon. Wong Shing.

The minutes of the last meeting were read. The Hon: P. Ryrre called attention to the fact that in the minutes as read there was no record that he dissented from the third reading Augstolic of the Roman Catholic Church in

the Governor, made the alteration.

ments fecommended by the Finance Committee, tunity afforded by the method of construction forestation, \$6,998.11 for the supply of 300.510 from projectiles. The division of the vessels cost of fitting four steam lounches for torpedoes. \$181.80 as allowance for a soumon gunnary in- the water-line, but to the upper deck or to structor for the volunteer flotilla at £50, per a height which it might be supposed the waterannum from 1st April to 30th November, and

other amounts. motion, which was agreed to. THE PROPOSAL FOR A DIRECT TELEGRAPH

CABLE TO SINGAPORE. His Excellency-Hon. Gentlemen of the which are capable of carrying guns. This result Legislative Council, before proceeding to the order of the day I desire to inform you that I have now received a reply to my telegrams respecting that part of your resolution of the 1st April ult. which advocated a direct tolographic cable between Hongkong and Singapore. Lord Derby's telegram states as follows:—

"Her Majesty's Government consider that ther would be no advantage gained by, a direct submarine cable, in the present emergency, commensurate with the heavy expenditure of the annual payment required." However, I have submitted for favourable conready stored for instant application. Other sideration a suggestion on this subject by a high Governments, however, make mistakes as military authority, which, if feasible, and if approved would secure the desired object at a comparatively small cost.

THE BILL TO AMEND THE POST OFFICE The Attorney-General-I beg to move ment of the Chief Constructor as conclusive. that the Council go into Committee on the Bill The Stirling Castle, built for the ten trade

to amend the Post Office Ordinance. The COLONIAL TREASURER seconded. The Bill was then considered in Committee, world, and held a high place on the Admiralty read a third time, and passed. MARRIED WOMEN'S DISPOSITION OF

PROPERTY BILL. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL moved the third eading of the Bill entitled the "Married Women's Disposition of Property Ordinance, 1885." The COLONIAL SECRETARY seconded. The Bill was read a third time and passed. BILL TO AMEND THE TRADE MARKS ORDINANCE. The ATTORNEY-GENERAL moved the third Eussian Government purchased a Liverpool reading of the Bill to amend Ord. 16 of 1873 res-

pecting trade marks. The Colonial Secretary seconded. Carried s The Bill was then passed.

should be for the present suspended in order that water at the present time. It is intended to fit first reading of a Bill entitled the French Mail and in no way injurious to the yessel. Steamers Ordinance Continuation Ordinance. The work on the America, which is now which very probably they will, the attacking torpedo

The Colontal Secherally seconded. The Connoil then adjourned to next Friday. SUPREME COURT.

8th May. IN SUMMARY JURISDICTION BEFORE Mr. JUSTICE ACREOVD.

F. HOWELL V. W. F. WRITERBAD, \$53. This was a claim which had been brought on a promissory note and on which judgment had been given for the plaintiff in the absence of the defendant. The letter applied to have the case reheard on the ground that he had a substantial defence to the action. From the evidence given it seemed that the defendant had borrowed \$100 of a third party at interest of eight per cent per annum, upon a promissory note payable demand. The note passed into the possession of the plaintiff after \$60 of the amount originally advanced had been repaid, and he now claimed the balance of \$40, and interest upon the whole sum advanced from the time it was received.

not appeared to the summons on the day set down for hearing. The defendant said he had an engagement moving machinery for his employer, which was obliged to keep. His Lordship said he ought at least to have Ambassador to ascertain whether M. de Giefs sent some one to the court to have applied for an to the frontier are to the offict stated by me. He should have been ready to have adjourned To that telegram we shall, I have no doubt, the hearing, and not having done so, the defend.

His Lordship asked the defendant, why he had

ment we may call it, perhaps-whether the note to a third person for a loan, and that it was arrangement, includes the positions occupied his signature upon it. He disputed the claim by the Afghan forces, and, if so, whether it has for interest, however, and he said that if the occived the adhesion of the Ameer. The ex- person he gave the note to had called upon him same manner in which Russia can command the the entry made upon the note that only 340 was movements of Russian forces—the expression due at the time it passed into the plaintiff's pos our sanction. The arrangement did include the lowed on the full amount. He should give judgpositions occupied by the Aighan forces; but it ment for the plaintiff for \$40 and interest upon was not possible to obtain for it the adhesion of that sum from the 7th February, 1884, the date

> POLICE COURT. Sth May.

BEFORE MR. E. MACKEAN. PERSONATING A CONSTABLE.

Wong Aying, barber, was charged with having personated a police constable on the 7th inst. P. S. Butlin was in the Chee Cheong pawn shop examining jewellery, when the defendant

Emoods, a Japanese ship boy, pleaded guilty to John Brown, a man who had evidently seen

sponsibility in the conduct of what I described refusing to pay jinricksha hire on the 7th inst. He was fined 50 cents, and ordered to pay 20 cents to the jinricksha coolie, and in default of payment he was committed to gaol. · CHARGE OF LARCENY AND BEING ARMED. Chan A Ng. stonecutter, was charged with stealing two chisels, and also with possession of

deadly weapons on the 5th inst. The defendant was seen leaving a tool shed at the new buildings for the Hongkong and Shanghai Hank by a stone cutter named 'Li Chong. The latter chased him, and was on the point of seizing him when the prisoner turned on him with a dagger in his hand, and made a lunge at him. Some of the other workmen came up and saized him, and on his person two chisels were

The defendant alleged that he was employed in the same work as the complainant, and it appoared that he had been at work there a few · The dagger was confiscated, and in default of

finding a surety of \$5 for his good behaviour for six months he was committed to gaol. Wong Atuk, unlicensed hawker, pleaded

guilty to steading 100 cents belonging to a cobbler named frang Ahu, and he was sentenced to three weeks hard labour. GAMBLING.

road West, on the 8th inst. Inspector Matheson and P. S. Butlin and some constables made a raid on the house and found a lot of Chinese playing fantan. The leiendants were caught in the house. The first and third defendants admitted severa

previous convictions, and they were fined 820 each or a month's hard labour. three defendants were fined S1 each. All paid their fines but the third defendant.

THE NAVY AND MERCANTILE MARINE.

The acquisition by the Government of some of the fastest ships of the mercantile marine for war purposes is in pursuance of a policy originated unwards of 10 years ago as a part of the scheme of Naval Reserve. During that time the whole of the first-class ocean-going vessels The CLEBE OF COUNCIL, by the authority of have been examined in the course of construction to set towards Great Britain as she acted towards and trial at sea under the direction of Mr. Barnaby, C.B., the Director of Naval Construc-The Colonial Secretary laid minutes of tion, assisted by Mr. James, Dunn, the Chief Lords was saying that, "As regarded Sin- His Excellency the Governor on the table, with Constructor. The scruting was directed to g spore, as he had already stated, the work reference to votes for petty disbursements, and had been postponed till next year." Then moved the Council vote various same for payincluding \$3,000 as a supplementary vote: for af- for the protection of the engines and boilers rounds of Martini-Henry ammunition for the into water-tight compartments was an essential Police and Volunteers, \$1,200 as approximate qualification, and it was necessary that the bulkhonds should not merely extend above line would reach in the event of some of the compartments-becoming filled. All those vessels which The Colonial Treasures seconded the in the opinion of the authorities, could be made of use to the country were placed on what has become known as "the Admiralty list," and this list now contains upwards of 300 vessels, all of

has been brought about by the hope, which the establishment of the list had created, that the Government would have reciprocated the alsority with which the shipowners complied with the conditions imposed. It was at least hoped that the Government would have made some tentative arrangement with the owners affort and have secured their services for the State if necessity arose. Nothing, however, had Admirator list or any nortion of it an actual raserve at the command of the First Lord, and inat the time the fastest steamer in the list. After making two voyages she was offered by Messrs. Skinner and Co. to the Government as a transport; The offer was declined, and she was immediately thereafter sold to an Italian company and by it transferred to the Italian Government. She is now fitted with 10 torpedo in the British Navy. Two years ago the and boilers on the Clyde, and she is now

vessel named the Mikado, renewed her engines ostensibly a trading steamer but her entire orew and officers are part of the Russian Navy, and she can at any moment become a ship of war. THE BILL TO DEAL WITH DOMESTIC SLAVERY. The step now taken by the Admiralty will The ATTORNEY-GENERAL -- I desire to move encourage the patriotic disposition of the British that the next order be discharged (the motion ship owners, and provoke, competition among tion and Domestic Service) - It is thought de- which have come under a bond to hold them at sirable that the further progress of this Bill the service of the Queen; are the fleetest on the another year the privileges conferred by the Or. and in the case of the Alaska and Arisona range of the large frontales. These monsters may married to the Rev. Mr. Miller, of Kilmaur. dinance upon French mail steamers.

The fire with their large gons; they will only increase the She had become an expert spinner of flax, and Oregon is also in Liverpeal, and the Etruria may smoke that enables their agile enemies to approach when her husband flied, in 1725, she sought to be despatched to New York on the 11th as origin by despatched to New York on the 11th as originally designed, and her sister ship, the Unione, their success is certain. It is impossible, over in day, her wheel,

the guns in position at once, but merely to put on board a timber base ready for the reception of the gun, in such a manner as to enable the vessel to to made ready for offensive work in a few hours. The Arisona is an exception to this. She will actually pass into the hands of the Government mmediately on her arrival from New York and be forthwith used as a transport.

the Alaska, owned by Mr. Pearce, of John 3,000 all told." If one of M. Charmes's fight. Elder and Co., are 5.147 tons and 6.932 tons ing groups is told off to cope with each ironclad, respectively; and the Etruria and the Oregon, owned by the Cunard Company, are 7.718 boats, costing £480,000 and carrying 600 men and 7.375 tons. The Oregon was recently of 24 attacking torpedo boats, costing £240,000 fered by Mr. John Burns, chairman of the Cunard and carrying 336 men; 24 defending torpedo nize Mr. E. D. A. Morshead, formerly Fellow boats, costing £240,000, and carrying 432 of New College, and new an assistant master at he offered to land 1,000 men from Portsmonth mon; finally, taree transports, or one transport Winchester:—
in 81 days for the bare cost of coal and wages, to every two groups, being £480,000. with but vessels of inferior capacity not on the 1,380 men. Thus we arrive at a general Admiralty list had been chartered for the purtotal of £1,440,000 and 748 men. Compare and pose. Among other vessels of the first class are judge! So convinced is M Charmes of the the Umbria, 7,718 tons, the Aurania, 7,269, the soundness of his contentions that he would use all City of Rome, 8,415, the Servia, 7,392, and the the old French ironclads as tornedo bearers. Austral, 5,588. The Umbria, Etruria, Oregon, taking out their guns and filling their turrets Alaska, Arizona, and Austral were built by John with torpedoes. The Cothert, the Trident, the accepted that they would do from 161 to 181 knots per hour in any circumstances. Vessels of the next grade would range at: 15 or 16 knots per sour, and the number of vessels capable of 4 knots is naturally much larger. In estimating the capacity of these vessels it should be remembered that they are comparatively larger in measuring tonnage the cubical contents of the engine and boiler room are deducted from the gross tonnage; and the space occupied in these. high-speed vessels is larger than that taken up by boats of low power.

In cases of actual conversion it is intended that the state rooms on each side of the boilers and engines should be removed, and the space converted into receptacles for coal, which would not merely increase the endurance of the vessel at sea, but. while filled, would form a complete protection for the boilers and engines. Assuming that speed is an equivalent for armour, the mercantile marine would go far to supply the deficiencies of the Navy provided full advantage were taken of the Admiralty list .- Times.

THE NAVAL WAR OF THE FUTURE.

M. Gabriel Charmes, who performs for the French Ministry of Marine the good offices which "One who Knows the Facts" is so prompt week in the Revue Scientifique demolished to his own satisfaction, the optimist survey of a M. naval wars of the future which appeared in the Revue des Deux Mondes of the 1st of March. It is a sequel to a previous article in which he main-

only advantages of the present time being num- participation in the murder of the Archbishop, bers and speed.

Since the invention of the serow steamer "the empire of the sea" has become an empty word, a sense-less expression. The greatest victories can no longer assure the sovereignty of the ocean. After Abour's and Trafalgar England could close our ports from Codis to Antwerp, and from Gibraltar to Naples: she could incessantly threaten our consts with disembark. ments such as those of Quiberon and Walcheren, surprise our cruisors, destroy our privateers, separate, bronze, engraved with figures and characters, San Francisco-355 bags coffee, 73 bags black Five coolies were brought before the court our colonies from the metropolis, take possession of originally gilt, described by Mr. Lindsay, of pepper, 140 bags beans, 11,728 bags rice, 46 cases present the blockade-strict, effective, real in all its Babylonian tablets, incised, of the date of the points-of a littoral like that of France, for instance, s not only beyond the forces of the English fleet, but

of all the European fleets togother. Steam has also crushed the blockader, and the ornedo boat will do the same with the ironclad. What, then, is to be inferred from all this? M. Charmes predicts that war waged on the above line of battle principle will be superseded by war of privateering. Hence the great question of the future will be not who has the greatest array of line-of-battle ships, but who possesses the strongest and swiftest fleet with which to prey on the enemy's commerce. Italy, Germany, and all the rest of European nations are awakening to the importance of colonies across the sea. Britannia (says our French critic) no longer rales rivals, all the small ambitions nations, will be America at the time of the rebellion. They will fall [lovera?" The correspondent, having assented, a war should last any time her rained shipowners will be obliged to place their vessels under a foreign

for long years, owing to the marvellous gonius of abstituate, and still more marvellous luck, has mo nopolised the wealth of the world? A pleasant prospect truly! but M. Charmes, who seems to have forgotten the Gonera award more interesting when he discusses how nava wars will be waged in the future. He thinks that all future naval wars will be fought out by procedo boats and swift gunboats of 20 to knots speed, carrying 15 centimetre cannons. His gunboat he would arm with only two heavy ons, but with as many Hotchkiss guns essible. As for the torpedo bost, it should have a ram and carry two torpedo tubes with three torpedoes for each tube. M. Charme would send all his torpedo boats into action couples. One class, the attacking torpedo boat would be armed solely with the torpedoes : their mission is exclusively to attack large ships. For the protection of the attacking torpede boat M. Charmes would give it a consort which he calls the torredo boat of defence, and whose the most perfect specimens of naval architecture function will be to drive off hostile vessels in order to keep the road clear for its companion in war. This torpedo boat has no tube and been done until the recent acquisition to make the Whitehead torpedo. Its armament is composed torpedo projecting from its bow which will serve stances have occurred to show that foreign Go to blow up a boom or to tear open a projecting vernments were quite alive to the advantages net, or even, should the opportunity offer, to offered them by the Admiralty survey. The blow up a vessel. Both torpedo boats would ten months she was said to have vomited at in-

and tenders for his ideal pet small craft—a vessel Messrs. Elder and Co. some four years ago, was suffice as a naval base for 4 gunboats, 8 torpedo boats of attack, and 8 torpedo boats of defence Each gunboat would carry 45 to 50 men, each attacking torpedo boat 14, and each defending terpedo boat 18. This would be a maximum of should be on board the transport to allow the crews of the small craft a change of service. The war ship of large displacement, therefore, event of war, surpassing anything of the kind would simply form the base of a flotilla of 16 ment of 920 men, all told, so as to allow for relays. for it is a cardinal principle with M. Charmes that you cannot keep the same men on board torpedo boat for any time. Give him this flotilla and he is ready to go forth to war against the strongest ironolads affoat. This is how he would do it. He would tell off against each ironclad in the enemy's aquadron a fighting group of two gunboats, four attacking, and four defending torpedo boats. The following is his account of As soon as they appear in sight our torpedo boats and gun vessels, profiting by their speed, surround

shelter of their comports' amoke. If they succeed

making a breach through the vessels of the vanguard.

wided the torpedo bosts are sufficiently numerous. forget her troubles by assidnous application to

anbetituted for her. It is not intended to place light, that four torped Soute, attacking the ironela? which is using all its artillery in front, at either side and at-the stern, should not attain their object. The mly difficulty is to cross the line of akirmishing yesels which are thrown out in advance of the line of habitat "A now system of naval tactics is to be created, | sions and their rapidity of evolution.

Although these vessels are the most desirable if M. Charmes be right. But for our consolution an hour, the "fare" pulls two france fifty out of for the purpose designed, it is satisfactory to he points out that the navy of the future will be his pocket. "Look, here, cocher, you might have know that there are on the Admiralty list more less costly than the floot of the present day :- driven a little quickur." "What! overdrive my .. than 50 vessels capable of steaming round the The fleet equipped to fight our great sea horse? Never, I am a member of the Society world at a speed of 12 knots without requiring battles, which constitutes the nucleus and the for the Prevention of Cruefty to Animals." National Line, is 6,000 tons; the Arizona and each manned by a complement of 650 men, or boire!

OLLA PODRIDA.

A book on public-house sighs has been writt of either of the following which I myself observed Drop Inn," was of a nunning nature; the local wags being eager to explain to me that the sign in question was supposed to appeal to passers by with the familiar invitation " Do drop in!" Th second, which belonged to a small heately, senreely a bowshot from Bristol Cathedral and close to the city quay, was evidently intended to appeal to a nautical taste. To many land-labbers in fact, the name of this partioular house, "The Clew-up ble. But after all the sign matters but little,

poses of the passing toper equally well. red from the Hudson's Bay Company to the asked the king. "Wait, your highness, till I get Dominion Government in 1870, the native-born my fuel," replied Heriot, who from an old cabinet population of that region numbered close upon or almarie took a bond for £2,000 which he had 10,000. In local parlance these are spoken of as | lent to James, and, laying it on the fire, he asked, ministure of Indian blood; so that the term is in Holyrood or mine the most costly?" "Ceranalogous to that of "excele" as used in Spanish tainly yours, Master Heriot!" replied the king. America Of these 10,000 half breeds some 47 to render to the English Admiralty, has this per cent. were "Protestant" and 53 per cent. dency to apply prayer as a solation of practical "Catholic"—a classification which may be as- difficulties. A Scoteli congregation at Dumfries. sumed to distinguish roughly between the des- has been passing through a great controversy as X \_\_\_ who maintains that the French navy is cendants of the Scotch who formed the Schirk to the advisability of building a fresh church. almost as strong if, indeed, it is not actually settlement and the descendants of French-Cana- Finally it was decided that "the Head of the stronger—than that of Great Britain. Without dian voyageurs. The present disaffection, there- Church" should be invoked in prayer to decide entering upon that controversial matter at pre- fore, is confined to an element of the population the issues. Four office-bearers, therefore, were sent, we wish to direct the attention of our roaders in Manitoba and the North-West which cannot told off to pray, two for the new building and two to M. Charmes's very remarkable article on the number at the persont moment more than 6,000

Terry, of Peterborough House, Fulham, sold at issue to be decided? Is it the party whose last tained that the masteden of the ocean, the iron- the rooms of Mr. J. C. Stevens, in King Street, man holds out longest in supplication, or in other clad, had been vanquished by those microbes of Covent Garden, recently, was a wax taper said words falls asleep last, which shall be despited to be the identical one carried in penance by torious, or must the congregation, like the Apos-M. Charmes discusses what will be the conditions | Herry II. to the shrine of Thomas in Becket in | tles, have recourse to casting lots after all? Or and consequences of the naval war of the future. Canterbury Cathedral. It was found in the will the minister, who is supposed to have a de-"In the distant past," he remarks, "there was year 1773 in the shrine, and by some moans was cided bias in the matter, take upon himself to debut one type of vessel, the line-of-battle ship; obtained by Dr. Menish, of Chelmsford, in termine which party has, in the opinion of "the one firearm, the cannon; and one motor, the wind. Whose museum it remained for many years until Head of the Church," prayed with most effect? Then came a great revolution. The sailing vest it passed into the hands of the late owner. Whether In view of so important a new development of sel. was abandoned for the steamer, and shortly it is the identical taper may be a question, but the practical use of prayer, it is plainly indispensafter this a still more important invention, the it is remarkable that it should bear the arms of able to have a workable rule for measuring the torpede, was given to the world. No more vic- England, embossed upon it. Matthew Paris comparative strength of various supplications. tories are to be gained by a favourable wind, the relates that the King did penance to expiate his bearing a taper and laying it upon the shrine, and that afterwards he was scourged on the bare back by many clergy assembled for the purpose. It was sold for £5. The other antiquities of interest were a fine square bell of bronze with a stone clapper, foundat Kilgort, parish of Fintons. county Tyrone, Ireland, in 1839, which sold for £3 10s.; and an ancient Syrian talisman of 411 bags rice, 103 packages merchandise. For Chaldean work It sold for 24 4s. Two

sixth century B.C., sold for £7 10s. She greated the Paris correspondent of the New York Herald with the welcome-" Ow are dear sars. What's ze mattrice to-day?" When he had quite recovered from his amazement the correspondent inquired in English whether Sarah could confirm the news about the Lord Chamberlain. "Let us talk French," replied Theodora, "I prefaire it. The report you mention came from Mr. Abbay; but what it means I can't make out. The manuscript of 'Theodora' has not been sent to the Lord Chamberlain. Therefore he cannot have refused to allow its production. Moreover, I can't see why he should bject. The play is not immoral. It is only the story of an empress who had a husband and a lover. Don't all empresses have husband and asked Sarah what she honestly thought of Sardon's play. "I think it very fine," said Sarah, "But the denouement is absurd. It is common place and trivial, and ought to be altered. All that stuff about the love philter is ridiculous. It would have been so easy to wind up the play with the seventh tableau by making Justinian have his rival strangled in Theodora's presence, and having Theodora herself strangled afterwards. --Madame Bernhardt added, concerning her future movements-"I shall not go to London this year. Mr. Abbey and Harris seem unable to come to terms. We have no theatre. M. Maver threatens a law-suit if we play at the house of any rival. I shall go to Bordeaux, Lyons and Belgium, but not to London. Tant pie pour les Anglais. I am still writing my memoirs. I keep at them fitfully, but-won't publish them for another five years, as I have been very free in | and 141 per cont. premium for the end of the expressing my views of things. "In five years." said Sarah, relaysing into English, "I shall leave ze stage. By that time I hope to know your difficult language well enough to play Shakespeare. I take a lesson every afternoon. I make inuch progresss. Good by, sare. Towards the close of the seventeenth century

considerable excitement was created in the West of Scotland by a reported case of bewitchment. It appears that a girl, eleven years of age, named Christian Shaw, daughter of a gentleman residing at Bargarron, in Renfrewshire, gave out that she had been bewitched; and attributed certain hysterical convulsions and other symptoms which she experienced to the influence that was being exerted over her by her termentors. For market was free for them as for our own Govern-bave powerful rams. M. Charmes wouldonly have though she had been visited by noblethough she had been visited by nobleof the Mytho type, used as torpedo carrier would no explanation of the phenomena appears to have been offered, and the case was left to the verdict of a superstitious mob, who declared it was a clear case of bewitching, and called for the lives of the alleged offenders. Three men and four women—among the latter being a maid-servant. 460 men for the 20 vessels; an equal number who had given offence to Miss Shaw-were arrested, tried, and condemned to be hanged and burnt. The decision of the court is said to have received the cordial approval of the clorgy; and as it was believed that the execution of the poor! wretches would be a severe blow to the machinations of the enemy of mankind, the members of the Presbytery were appointed to attenud and see it properly carried out. One of the women prisoners committed suicide in gaol; but on the morning of June 10, 1697, the other six were marched to their doom in a central part of Paisley. They were first hanged for a Hongkong Hotel Company's Shares-\$160 per short time, and then, probably before one of them was quite dead, cut down and cast upon a pile of peats saturated with tar, which for the second reading of the Bill for the prethem to build vessels still more serviceable for how he would face a hostile squadron, composed having been set fire to, burnt their bodies to how he would face a hostile squadron, composed ashes. It is recorded that among the spectators of ironclads, torpodo boats, &c. of the horrible trugedy were "most of the nobi- Luzon Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$6 lity and gentry of the district," who probably them on all sides, the gunboats and the torpede boats judged that there could not be much that was Hongkong Ice Company's Shares-3140 per further consideration may be bestowed upon it. them with carriages for ten 64-pounder guns, of defence charging the enemy's small craft and tor- objectionable in an entertainment which was THE FERNOH MAIL STEAMERS ORDINANCE. two at each and three on each side upon pade bosts, clearing the road for the attacking torThe Attropher-General —I beg to move the the main dack. The fittings will be simple, pade bosts, which follow up close belief them in the members of the Presbytery. Twenty-one roars —S118 per share. members of the Presbytery. Twenty-one years afterwards, Miss Shaw, whose family had by that time become heartily ashamed of their connection 285. The object of the Bill is to prolong for in Liverpool, commenced yesterday (Sist March), boats pour in under the canopy of anoke within short with the miserable business recorded above, was

Daulight is the name of "s newspaper and journal written by men and women in the intorests of their fellow men and women who live in the Crown Colonies, and for the instruction those who are not acqualated with th bread (1) on speed; (2) on number; (3) on invaluer of the Crown Colony system of government."

The latest column anadote of the Prince The latest cabman sucodote of the Puirie is sufficiently cosmopolitan in its application to Our ironiclads may as well be soll for old iron | bear translation. After being driven for almost

to re-coal; and that there are five other vessels essential part of our naval force, is generally And then back go ten sons into the pocket of nearly equal to those selected for speed and coal- composed of six ironelads, costing an average the "fare," with the remark- Yes; and I am a carrying capacity. The America, owned by the £600,000 each, which is a total of £3,000,000, member of the Temperance Society No nour-The happiest epitaph that we have seen on General Gordon is the following, published in the new number of the Journal of Elucation. The vorses are signed "E. D. A. M." under

which initials we have no doubt that we rooms. of New College, and now an assistant master at "-"Thad rather be doed than praised."-C. G. G.

By those for whom he lived, he died; his land . Awoke too late and erowned dead brows with praise. Ho, 'neath the blue that burns o'er Libyan and, Put off the burden of heroic days. There, strong by death, by failure glorified.

O never proud in life, lie down in pride ! A curious but important case, in which small Elder and Co.; the Aurania, Servia, and Richelieu, and the Friedland would carry sixteen por infection was conveyed in a letter, is record-America by J. and G. Thomson; and the City torpedo boats each; the Suffrée, the Marengo ed by Mr. Karkeek, in his recent report on the Rome by the Barrow Company. The whole and the Ocean might have a dozen each. Thus sanitary condition of St. Marychurch. On these vessels exceed a speed of 16k knots. we have a total of 100 torpedo boats-fifty at Warch let, last year, a case of small-pox was re-If gauged by their actual performance on tacking and fifty defending, or fifty couples of ported to him in the person of a domestic serthe measured mile, they would be set down thom. What a revolution in naval war! And vant, who had seen no one ill or recovering from at a much higher speed; but it may be yet we are nearer to it than most people imagine. small-pox, and who had not been out of the town for months. Moreover, no case of the disease had occurred in St. Marychurch or Torquay for years. On inquiry, it was found that the infeeted person had received letters from her sister, an inmate of the West Bromwich Small-pox. Hospital, "who had infortunately sent the germ but I do not remember to have seen in it a note of the disease in her letter." The case was at ones removed to the Torquay Santlarium, and in the West of England:-Theone, "The Dew the only person in the household who became ill " was the recipient and reader of the letters. It is related that one day George Heriot had

been sent for by King James, whom he found seated in one of the rooms at Holyrood, before a fire composed of cedar, or some other perfumed wood, which cast a pleasant fragrance around, and the king mentioned incidentally that it was quite as costly as it was agreeable. "If your majesty will visit me at my booth in Parliament and bring-too!" would be altogether unintelligi- Close," quoth Heriot, "I will show you a fire more costly than that." "Say you so!" said the and a public house by any sign serves the pur- king: "then I will." On doing so he was surprised to find that Heriot had only a coal fire of When the North-West Territory was transfer- the usual kind. "Is this; then, your costly fire?" "half-breeds," even when there is little or no laughingly, "Now, whether is your majesty's fire Hore is another instance of the growing tenothers for sticking to the old one. This prayer tournament is a very interesting revival of cer-In the collection belonging to the late Mr. W. | tain mediaval practices; but how on earth is the

CO UMERCIAL INTELLIGENCE.

FRIDAY, 8th May.

EXPORT CARGO. Per steamship City of New York, sailed on the 2nd May :- For Yokohama -6,870 bags sugar. silks, 200 boxes aut oil, 23 boxes prepared opium, 300 bales hemp, 208 packages tea, 510 packages merchandise. I box treasure valued at \$900. For Viotoria, B.C.—12 cases crude opium, 8 packages merchandise. For Panama -6,560 bags rice, 58 Madame Sarah Bernhardt is learning English. | packages merchandise, 50 packages nut oil, 4 cases silks, 2 cases crude opium. For San José de Gastemala—1 case silks. For Chicago—120 packages merchandise, I case silks. For New

> York—16 bales raw silk, 14 cases silk goods. Quotations are:-Malwa (Old) ............8550 to 570 per picul, allowance of 1 to 1t catties. Bensres (New) ...... 570

Benares (Old) ...... 570 ON LONDON. Bank Bills, on demand. Bank Bills, at 30 days' sight ... Bank Bills, at 4 months' sight ..... 3/7 Credits, at 4 months' sight... Documentary Bills, at 4 months' Bank Hills, on demand · Credits, at 4 months' sight ..........4.55 On Bombay -- Bank 3 days sight ... 220

ON CALCUTTA .- Bank 3 days' sight ... 220

On Shanghai,— Bank, sight..... Private, 30 days' sight ... SHARES. Banks.-Small sales are reported at 139, 149,

Docks -There are buyers at 58 per cen prem, for the end of the month, Ropes.—Sales have been made at \$67 cash Quotations are :-Hongkong and Shanghai Bank Shares-140 per cent. premium.

Union Insurance Society of Canton, Limited-\$460 per share. China Traders' Insurance Company's Shares -\$63 per share. North China Insurance-Tls. 290 per share. Yangteze Insurance Association—Tis. 130 per Chiuese Insurance Company, Limited-3165 per

On Tai Insurance Company, Limited-Ila 148 per share. Canton Insurance Office. Limited \$30 Hongkong Fire Insurance Company's Shares-\$340 per sbare. China Fire Insurance Company's Shares -\$67 - per share. Sales. Hongkong and Whampos Dock Company

Shares-58 per cent. prem. Hongkong, Canton, and Macao Steamboat Co.'s Shares—839 per share preraium. Indo-China Steam Navigation Co.'s Shares-30 per cent, discount. China and Manila Steamship Company, Limited -45 per cout, discount

Donglas Steamship Company, Limited-4 per 1 Hongkong Gas Company's Sheres-\$90 per China Sugar Refining Company, Limited-\$100 per share, Sales. China Sugar Refining Company (Debentures)

Perak Tin Mining and Smelting Company Selanger Tin Mining Company-\$13 per share. Perak Sugar Cultivation Company—Tls. 35 per

Hongkong Rope Manufacturing Company, Li Chinese Imperial Loan of 1881 - per cent di

a skilful surgical operation. Business announcements. The American Ambassador at Vienna. Mr. Kasson, has lately forwarded to his DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA. lovernment an interesting account of a remark. nble surgical operation lately performed by DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA.

Professor Billroth, of Vienna, which, wonderful D'The best Remedy For Acidity of the Stemach. to tell consisted in the removal of a portion of | --the human stomach, involving nearly one-third | DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA. of the organ—and, strange to say, the patient recovered—the only successful operation of the kind ever performed. The disease for which DINNEFORD'S FLUID MAGNESIA: this operation was performed was cancer of the Dank Mild Aperient for Delicate Constitu this operation was performed was cancer of the stomach, attended with the following sympthions, Ladies, Children, and Infants, and for regular toms:—The appetite is quite poor. There is a London, and of Druggists and Storekoopers through. peculiar indescribable distress in the stomach. a feeling that has been described as a faint "all gons" sensation; a sticky slime collects about the teeth especially in the morning, accompanied by an unpleasant taste. Food fails to satisfy this peculiar faint sensation; but, on the contrary, it appears to aggravate the feeling. The eyes are sunken, tinged with yellow; the hands and feet become cold and sticky—a cold perspira-tion. The sufferers feel tired all the time, and sleep does not seem to give rest. After a time the patient becomes nervous and irritable, gloomy, his mind fifled with evil forebodings. When rising suddenly from a recumbent posi- 1-A67] tion there is a dizzipess, a whistling sensation, and he is obliged to grasp something firm to keep from falling. The bowels costive the skin 1 8. BEIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE. This Phose dry and hot at times; the blood becoming thick and stagnant, and does not circulate properly. the most offercious medicine hitherto discovered for After a time the patient spits up food soon after the ours of Mental and. Physical Depression, Ineating, sometimes in a sour and formented con-dition, sometimes sweetish to the taste. Often-times there is a palpitation of the heart, and the patient fears be may have heart disease. The patient fears he may have heart disease. To arising from whatever cause.

wards the last the patient is unable to retain any DR. BRIGHT'S PHOSPHODYNE is sold by all food whatever, as the opening in the intestines Chemieta throughout the Globe. Befuse useless becomes close, or nearly so. Although this disease substitutes. Wholesale Agents, A. S. WATSON, is indeed alarming, sufferers with the abovenamed symptoms should not feel nervous, for nine hundred and ninety-nine cases out of a thousand have no cancer, but simply dyspepsia, a Finest and Cheapest Meat Flavouring Stock for disease easily removed if treated in a proper Soups, Made Dishes and Sauces, manner. The safest and best remedy for the Invaluable for India, as an efficient tenic in all cases disease is Seigel's Curative Syrup, a vegetable preparation sold by all chemists and medicine vendors throughout the world, and by the proprietors, A. J. White (Limited), 17, Farringdonroad, London, E.C. This Syrup strikes at the very foundation of the disease, and drives it. root and branch, out of the system. St. Mary-street, Peterborough. November 29th, 1881. Sir.—It gives me great pleasure to inform you of the benefit I have received from Seigel's able to offer the article with Baron Liebig's guarantee Syrup. I have been troubled for years with dyspensia; but after a few doses of the Syrub. I found relief, and after taking two bottles of it I feel quite cured. I am, Sir, yours truly.

William Brent. Mr. A. J. White. September 8th, 1883. Dear Sir,-I find the sale of Seigel's Syrup steadily increasing. All who have tried it speak very highly of its medicinal virtues: one customer describes it as a "Godsend to dyspeptic people." I always recommend it with confidence. Faithfully yours, (Signed) Vincent A. Wills. Chemist-dentist, Merthyr Tydvil. To Mr. A. J. White Seigel's Operating Pills are the best family physic that has ever been discovered. They cleanse the bowels from all irritating substances, and leave them in a healthy condition. They oure costiveness. Preston, Sept. 21st, 1883. My Dear Sir,-Your Syrap and Pills are still very popular with my customers, many saying NUBIAN JAPAN BLACKING.—In atoms bottles. they are the best family medicines possible. bottles I am sending fifteen miles away to a friend who is very ill. I have much faith in it." would fancy almost that the people wore beginsatisfaction so great. I am, dear Sir, yours faithfully, (Signed) W. Bowker. To A. J. White, Esq., Hensingham, Whitshaven, Oct. 16, 1832. Mr. A. J. White.—Dear Sir,—I was for some. time afflicted with piles, and was advised to give Mother Seigel's Syrap a trial, which I did. I am now happy to state that it has restored me complete health.—I remain, yours respectfully, 2191-1] (Signed) John H. Lightfoot. HONGKONG TEMPERATURE. (FROM MESSE, PARCONNE & Co.'s REGISTER.) May 8th. Thermameter—94.2. Charmomatar-3 P.Margeratumen estent en pentret en ting tat ten Thermameter-1 P.W. ...... Foormometer-9 4.W. (Wet bulb)..... Thermometer-4 r.m. (Wet builb) Thermometer -- Maximum memory and an arrangement hermoneter-Winimumfaver nickt) (Alberta vista 72 HONGKONG TIDE-TABLE, OFE TO 15TH MAY, 1830. HIGH WATER LOW WATER. Honghoug Mean Time. Holght. 10 34 a The height of most sex-level has been determined at 7.59; feet above zero of the tide-gauge at the Victoria Maval Yard; and the Low-water Ordinary Spring-Fides, to which datum he heights in these Tables are referred, as 5.590 feet above The heights in the Tables marked with a minus ( -- ) signare below Low-Water Ordinary Spring-Thies, and should subtracted from the constants given above. CHINA COAST METEOROLOGICAL

The other day a customer came for two bottles For -daily Household use. Gives a brilliant of Syrup and said "Mother Seigel" had saved the life of his wife, and he added, "one of these polish. MUBIAN PLATE POWDER, for Silver Ware. The sale keeps up wonderfully, in fact, one NUBIAN HABNESS OIL AND POLISH COMning to breakfast, dine, and sup on Mother Sei- BINED, in stone bottles. NUBIAN PET BOOTgel's Syrup, the demand is so constant and the POLISH, for Ladies' use cal. THE NUBIAN MANUFACTURING COMPANY. 8 & 6, Hosler Lane, London, England. AUEEN FIRE INSURANCE The Undersigned, Agents for the above Comany, are prepared to ACCEPT BISKS on FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS at 1 por Cont. Nett premium per Annum. Hongkong, 20th May, 1881. TMPERIAL FIRE INSURANCE COM-The Undersigned, Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT POLICIES against FIRE to the extent of \$60,000 on any prepared to grant Insurances as follows:--. RATES ON FIRST-CLASS GODOWNS RE- in London, or at the principal Ports of India. DUCED to 1 PER CENT. NETT PER ANNUM China, and Australia. FROM THIS DATE. Hongkong, 9th May, 1881. THE STRAITS INSURANCE COMPANY, THE Undersigned having been appointed.

Agents for the above Company, are prepared to GRANT-POLICIES on MARINE RISKS to all parts of the World; at current Hongkong, 5th November, 1883. CALEDONIAN FIRE AND LIFE THE Undersigned having been appointed -Agents for the above Company are prepared to issue Policies of Insurance against Fire on the usual terms. Hongkong, January, 1882; REGISTER. T 1VERPOOL AND LONDON AND GLOBE INSURANCE COMPANY. 7th May, 1885, at 4 P.M. The Undersigned, as Agents for the above Company, are prepared from this date to GRANT POLICIES upon FIRST-CLASS RISKS to the extent of £15,000, at the Reduced Tariff Rates. . Hongkong, 11th May 1881. Wiedi- ... 29,98 30,7 - ... TEW YORK LIFE INSURANCE 8th May, 1885, at 10 a.w. LIFE ASSURANCE ONLY Purely mutual; all profits belong to Policyholders and apportionments are made annually. Acoumulated Funds ...... £11,379,944 Jurplus over all liabilities Hongkong...: 80.03 77.9 84 81 89.09 15.0 81 82 80.10 80.10 82 and Reserve Fundaccording to valuation made by the Government..... ncome for year 1883..... const but it has risen over Luxon. Gradients have therefore changed and are moderate for S. W. winds. Thunderstorms may C. SETON LINDSAY Department of the East. be expected here such there along the coast. The temperature and hundridity have fallen. W. DOBERCK. Hengkong Observatory, 8th May, 1885. TIBANSATLANTIC FIRE INSURANCE METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER. The Undersigned, having been appointed On date On date Agents for the aveve Company, are prepared to at 10 a.m. at a p.m. ACCEPT RISKS against FIRE at Current 29.96 70.0 29.03 77.3 30.02 Temperature Hamidity Direction of wind ... B.S.E. Hongkong, 16th November, 1872. Force of wind ......

1.—Baromeres reduced to 33 degrees Fahrenheit and to the level of the sea in inches, tenths and hundredths.

2.—Theremature in the shade in degree and tenths

3. -- Hourdrey in percentage of enturation, the humidity of air enturature with moisture being 100.

5.—Yound OF THE WIND eccording to Bestlert Beale,
6.—State of the Weatene: B. blue sky; C. detached clouds; D. drinding rand; Y. (og; G. gloomy; H. hall; L. lightning; O. overcast; P. passing showers; Q. squally R. rain; S. andw; T. thunder; V. visibility; W. dow(wat).

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OBAM BAILEY.

SPOOPENDEKE AT DEATH'S DOOR "My dear," said Mr. Spoopendyke, be- is that members of the Imperial Family tween two groans, "my dear, you won't not to secure all those high and luce forget to be kind to the baby after I'm gone, posts which they have hitherto monopo will you?" and Mr. Spoopendyke straight- from their endle, but will have to be ened out in his stuffed chair, and kicked moted by merit. The Emperor has t his slipper halfway across the room. "You these reforms with his own son, the Ce needn't mind about a monument," he con- witch, whom he has not appointed t I want you to watch and see that the measly when he comes of age.

spirit of my sentiment relative to the off- - Leife. spring and the His Jacet, did you not?" "Yes, dear," replied Mrs. Spoopendyke, A. GHOST-HAUNTED SILVER MINE

take care of yourself, it will all go away." frock, and goes to a matines when it ought | legend which states that the cave is guarded This resumatic pain is going to a funeral: aspect, and glared at his wife.

Mrs. Spoopendyke. "and-" cording to the notions of the defunct, or am | the cave, and his twin brother dreamed pre-I to go whooping around through space cisely-the same; both felt sure that they without being able to point out to the other would find their way, but nexteday both angels the last sad resting-place of the measly were killed. A Methodist preacher, named more than I can on not having hash for track, but he went blind before the place in my grave with my head sticking out, so told, but they do not deter the credulous that people will know that it is the lowly, capitalists from endeavouring to see what narrow bed of Spoopendyke?" they can discover.

"Cortainly," fluttered Mrs. Spoopendyke. "If you die, you shall have a gravestone. Didn't carrying the potato in your pocket help you any : I heard-" You heard!" yelled Mr. Spoopendyke.

You're always hearing. With your capacity for sounds, you only want your head tightened up, and a big darkey to pound on you. drew a huge tuber from his pants pocket. "If that one don't know, inquires of this Here he drew one from his coat-tail pocket, "If he appears to be in any doubt about i try this!" and he hauled one out of his pistol pocket. "Come forth!" he roared, developing potatoes from all over him. "Thou shalt not bear false witness against Spoopendyke! Speak the speech as I pro-come out!" he yelled as one immense potato stuck fast. "P'raps you think you've got hold of the other end of that rheumatism! Oh, come and be my bride!" and as the potato edge of the table, and lifted himself over

"That's what you wanted!" he shrinked. grinning at his wife. "Think it looks as those potatoes had done me any good? May be they should have been smashed!" and suiting his muscles to the suggestion; he whanged them against the wall vindictively. his clothes and a pound of flesh. This is a "Never mind, dear," said Mrs. Spoopen-

the back of his chair at a bound ...

dyke, soothingly, belying him back to his chair. "I was going to say, I heard that potatoes weren't good for the rheumatism. It has got to be taken cars of and rubbed constantly. I know there must be something good for it." "Produce that something!" groaned Mr.

frothing at the mouth.

"I only said there must be something, The Major, who sat appright at the foot of dear," murmured Mrs. Spoopendyke. "I the datup-piles unhurt, with his revolver don't know what it is, but I think-

"you think? With your disposition to somewhat technical. "Gentlemen," said the mortem sets io,"

measly thing is most unwound, and now the remaining assailant. Boney had prudent-I'm going to take a whack at immortality! It disappeared in the depths of the tunnel. If I'm dead in the morning, don't cry, and Anchester Times. if I ain't dead, you be dod-gasted careful not to make a noise and disturb me !" With which benediction Mr. Spoopendyke rolled into bed and groaned dismally.

"L don't care," soliloquised Mrs. Spoopendyke, as she dropped on the fluor to take off her boots. "There ought to be something good for it. If he isn't better to-morrow, he'll want the tombstone brought to the house, and if it isn't as tall as a shot tower, he'll howl around all day because I don't love him."

And with this reflection Mrs. Spoopendyke erawled softly into bed, and was rewarded for her care with the interrogatory, whether sho " thought the sheumatism was some sort of a hammock originated for females to fall is and out of, or a Dutch over to warm cold

REFORMS IN THE CZAR'S FAM The recent reforms which the Emper Russia has introduced in the Royal Fe were much needed. The titles of G Dulge and Grand Duchess are now Lie to fifteen; the remaining members will be recognized as Princes of the Blood. the Emperor Paul, who was the la legislate for the Romanoff family, fo the existing regulations, the title of C Duke was confined to his sons. Alexander I, and Nicholas the famil not increase considerably, but it has grown to very large proportions. O birth of each Grand Duke the sum of million roubles is not saide for his be and, in addition to that, when he com age a large allowance is made him; so had no reform been instituted the dra the exchequer would have reached enor proportions. For the future, all mer of the Imperial Family who are not C Dukes will be allowed to marry with do ters of Russian or other noblemen; Per the greatest boon which the new laws tinued. A simple stone will do me, only post usually bestowed on every Grand Duke

thing don't get canted over sideways, like | Another reform which the Emperor has some Tve seen!" and with this sepulchral just introduced into the army was even instruction Mr. Spoopendyke rolled up his more needed than the above. From time eyes and kicked the other slipper to the immemorial it has been the custom that when a senior officer retired from the regi-"'" You'll be all right in a day or two," ment he was presented with very costly gifts. murmured Mrs. Speependyke, consolingly. Another drain on the purses of the officers You overheard my observations about was the expense entailed on them whenever the baby and the tombstone, I trust?" the Emperor reviewed the troops, as the growled Mr. Spoopendake, wriggling into most costly bouquets had to be presented to an apright position. "You caught the the Empress and the ladies of the bouschold.

The Evening Standard says :- Some promildly. "But you are not going to die. It's only a touch of your old trouble. If you perty is being purchased in the town of "P'raps you've some information about circumstances. The investors have bought where it will go to," retorted Mr. Spoopen. a large tract of land on the strength of old dyke, sercustically. "Maybe you have a reports that a silver mine and a treasure notion that it has certain days out ! Perhaps cave exist somewhere in it; and they have you are prepared to argue that it buts on a not been deterred by that portion of the to be at home getting dinner ready! Well, by two spectres. The original workers of it doesn't, and it don't go around with its the mine were two Quaker brothers; named back hair in its mouth, bunting for a crimp. Dickenson (the originals of the ghosts), who ing pin, with a pair of thin trousers on ! did their wealth in a cave. One day, a man, that's where it's going; and the late lamented shelter, was taken to the cave, and there on that occasion is going to be one Spoopen. overheard the Dickinsons talking about the dy're, of which I am be! Understand that?" treasure, the secret of which he understood was to take to Philadelphia next day. The to date. They now consist of "I know it's uncomfortable," conceded wretch determined to repay the kindness be FLAGS OF MERCANTILE HOUSES IN CHINA. "Of course, you know all about it," setting off after the servant, killing him MAP OF THE FAR EAST. squealed Mr. Spoopendyke. "Never having also, and abstracting his letter. This he did. New Map of the Island of Hongkons. had snything of the kind, your information After stabbing the brothers he pursued the PLAN OF THE CITY OF CANTON. wouldn't need anything but a big door the letter; but it was in a most complex PLAN OF YOROHAMA. mat with 'Welcome' on it, and a red-headed cypher, and the murderer went mad in his PLAN OF MANIEA. clerk with spectacles to be a public library! efforts to make it out. Some years later a PLAN OF SALGON.

LADIES' HUNTERS. rom the country to, one of the leading dealers in London, who shall be equally nameless, to hire a lady's horse. He stipu- Hongkong Chair, Jineleksha, and Bout Hire. lated that it must be very quiet, as the lady was norvous and not woll. Two days after, to be a bass drum! Did the potatoes do me the animal arrived with a letter full of kong STAMP DUTIES; which will shortly any good? Ask 'em!" and Mr. Spoopendyke praise, telling how children had always FEES, never before published. ridden it, &c., and guaranteeing it as perfeetly quiet and sweet tempered. The first The APPENDIX consists of over time the lady mounted it the brute bolted the pleasure of being also run away with for three miles, eventually subduing his lamb by getting into a ploughed field up to its books, where a liberal application of cutting- to enumerate in an Advertisement, but includewhipeset it thinking. That evening the brute ate for dinner half the groom's breeches and a small piece of groom, presumably as a relish, and finished up by getting toose and came out with a jerk, Mr. Spoonpendyke savaging a pony. Needless to say, it went bumped the point of his elbow against the back next day, and the only satisfaction or answer to be obtained from the dealer was, Well, sir, I am very sorry. I did not see it myself. Jim, there, told me it was a lighthearted little horse, and would carry a lady beautifully." Consequently, on "Jim's" recommendation, a lady might have been killed, and a British subject was deprived of

Sporting and Dramatic News. THE MAJOR'S PLAYFUL WAY. One evening, in the autumn of '56, word LEGAL' reached the Major that a party of prospectors had jumped the" Nip and Tuck," Spoopendyke. "Roll that something right claimed by him. The next morning the into my presence, and pull out the bung! Major buckled on his favourite bone-handled Let the mourners take a recess while this revolver and started out to expostulate with great interconvertible rhoumatism annihit the boys in his peculiar way. Expecting to lator is set up on end within the range of find them at work in the tunnel, he walked my fading vision and encouraged to squirt! carelessly toward its mouth. The boys were Where is it?" he demanded with a roar. "laying for him." As he reached the dump-Why should this marvel remain in boy pile commanding a view of the tunnel, he dalliance with obscurity? Is the handle gaw the muzzles of three guns frowning broke? Can't you lift it? Never mind. It's through a clump of bushes at its mouth, and too late. The shadows are closing around threw himself hackward just as the boys and the lamb is prepared for the measly blazed away. The ambushing party rushed sacrifice! If you ever find it, rub it on the out elated to look at the fallen Terror of the tombstone!" And Mr. Spoopendyke fell Mines, Jim Turner, a wild Texan, who fearback with an expression of resignation, ed not even the Major's aim, being in the

fair example of what may happen to anyone.

Therefore in buying a horse for a lady too

ready, " pinked " him promptly. The dis-"That's it!" squeaked Mr. Spoopendyke, cussion which followed was concise and indulge in abstract profundity, you only Major, turning to the other two assailants Corea, France and Annam, 1884, France and Niederhof need a lightning-rod and a boat-race to be who stood with unloaded guns, "I see your Cambodia, 1884, Great Britain and Siam, 1883, a whole collegiate course of instruction! blind and straddle it : I hold a full hand together with many other items, have not Sibirlen. Where's that cure! You said there was a (nodding toward his favourite bone-handled), appeared in previous issues.

cure! Why isn't it held up for my scrutiny? and hore (producing another) is my straight Perpetrate that cure upon mo before the post flush." "Major, bedad, I pass!" said Tom

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277 | Jardine, Matheson & Co Hongkong

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Wieler & Co

430 ; Lane, Crawford & Co.

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